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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form  
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)

6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

2. ☒ Specification Total Pages

7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
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3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) Total Sheets

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c. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)  
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i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed Statement attached deleting inventor(s)  
named in the prior application, see 37 CFR  
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

5. ☐ Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4c is checked)  
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## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

8. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

9. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney  
(when there is an assignee)

10. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)

11. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449  Copies of IDS Citations

12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment

13. ☐ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)

14. ☐ Small Entity Statement(s) ☐ Statement filed in prior application  
Status still proper and desired

15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
(if foreign priority is claimed)

16. ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
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17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

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	TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	46 -20 =	26	X \$ 18.00 =	\$183.00
	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	4 -3 =	1	X \$ 78.00 =	\$ 78.00
	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (if applicable) (37 CFR 1.16(d))			\$260.00 =	\$261.00
				BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))	\$690.00
			Total of above Calculations =		\$951.00
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	TOTAL =				\$951.00

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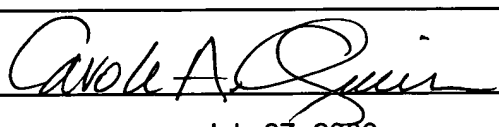
- a. ☐ A Small entity statement is enclosed
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